## United States Court of Appeals

FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

No. 04-7072

September Term, 2004

04cv00692

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Ronald Everette Brown, Appellant

V.

The Government of the District of Columbia, Department of Corrections, et al., Appellees

## APPEAL FROM THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

**BEFORE**: Ginsburg, Chief Judge, and Rogers and Tatel,

Circuit Judges

## JUDGMENT

This appeal was considered on the record from the United States District Court for the District of Columbia and on the brief filed by appellant. <u>See</u> Fed. R. App. P. 34(a)(2); D.C. Cir. Rule 34(j). It is

**ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that the district court's order filed April 28, 2004 be affirmed. The court did not abuse its discretion in dismissing appellant's complaint without prejudice, as the complaint did not contain "a short and plain statement of the grounds upon which the court's jurisdiction depend[ed]." <u>See</u> Fed. R. Civ. P. 8(a)(1); <u>Ciralsky v. CIA</u>, 355 F.3d 661, 668-71 (D.C. Cir. 2004).

Pursuant to D.C. Circuit Rule 36, this disposition will not be published. The Clerk is directed to withhold issuance of the mandate herein until seven days after resolution of any timely petition for rehearing or petition for rehearing en banc. <u>See</u> Fed. R. App. P. 41(b); D.C. Cir. Rule 41.

## Per Curiam